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21 ARMY CADETS RECEIVE AWARDS AT UM

MISSOULA--

Twenty-one cadets in the Army Reserve Officers Training Corps (AROTC) program at the University of Montana (UM) received trophies and other awards during the annual Military Science Awards Ceremony at UM Monday (May 27).

The Commander's Trophy went to the cadet brigade commander, Robert G. Franks, Alberton.

Receiving the Superior Cadet Award for all-around military excellence among senior cadets was Edwin L. Hall, Calabasas, Calif. Receiving a similar award in other classes were Paul H. Dallman, McLean, Va., junior; Nicholas W. Koenig, Billings, sophomore, and Jeffrey T. Renz, Piscataway, N.J., freshman. Dallman also received the trophy awarded to the outstanding counterguerrilla of the year.

The American Legion Award for scholastic excellence as a senior went to Robert E. Trerise, Helena, and for military excellence as a senior to Gary M. Stevenson, Lodge Grass. Mark L. Goelzer, Milwaukee, Wisc., received a similar award for scholastic excellence as a junior. John W. Helms, Missoula, a junior, was recipient of a similar award for military excellence.

The Reserve Officers Association of Washington, D.C., annually awards a medal to an outstanding senior. This year that award went to Keith O. Flaugh, Sioux City, Iowa, who also received a trophy as commander of the AROTC Counterguerrilla Unit.

A junior, J. Scott Wheeler, Spokane, Wash., received the Association of the U.S. Army Medal for being outstanding in his class.

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Receiving the trophy as best company commander of the AROTC brigade was James E. Hauptman, Billings.

Additional awards presented to the cadets included:

John S. Angwin, Missoula, Sons of the American Revolution Medal; Steven M. Johnson, Missoula, Sophomore Academic Achievement Trophy; Steven L. Barta, Billings, Freshman Academic Achievement Trophy; James D. Murray, Avon, Drill Team Commanders Trophy; Alexander J. MacKenzie, Volcano, Hawaii, outstanding cadet, Silvertip Drill Team; George J. Stratman, Spokane, Drum and Bugle Corps Commanders Trophy; David S. Lafferty, Great Falls, Intramural Athletic Award; Roy Robinson, Glasgow, Varsity Letterman Trophy, and Steven C. Barkley, Billings, Military History Award.

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